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Case No. <u>7871/13</u>

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Applica	ation of:	
	David J. Collodi	
Serial No:	10/037,992	Examiner: P. K. Nguyen
Filed:	October 18, 2001	Group Art Unit: 2671
•	ammable Per-Pixel Shader Lighting Support	
PETITI	ON AND FEE FOR EXTE	NSION OF TIME (37 CFR § 1.136

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is a petition for an extension of the time to respond to the Office Action dated March 18, 2004 for a period of 3 month(s).

\boxtimes	Applicant:				
	\boxtimes	claims small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. §1.27.			
	is other than small entity	is other than small entity 09/23/2004 BABRAHA1 00000028 231925 100)3799;		
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		Extension Months	Other Than Small Entity	Small Entity			
		One Month Two Months Three Months Four Months Five Months	\$110.00 \$420.00 \$950.00 \$1,480.00 \$2,010.00	\$55.00 \$210.00 \$475.00 \$740.00 \$1,005.00			
Fee Payment							
	Attached is a check for \$ for the Petition fee.						
	Attached is a credit card authorization form for \$ for the Petition fee.						
\boxtimes	Charge Petition fee to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached.						
\boxtimes	Charge any additional fee required or credit for any excess fee paid to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached.						
			Respect	fully submitted,			
Dated:	:	September 20, 2004	Registra	F. Prendergast tion No. 34,699			

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